

# Nordplus Horizontal

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# Facts about Nordplus Horizontal

- a cross sectoral program that supports educational cooperation in the Nordic and Baltic countries
  - aims to link the various sector program and provide new and extended partnership opportunities
  - to support innovative projects spanning traditional categories and sectors
- it can be horizontal/cross sectoral as regards participants, partners, sectors, issues, products and results and dissemination potential
- has one annual application round: 1 February
- has a limited budget of app. 1 million € per year
- operates with a mix of fixed unit costs and real costs
- supports project and network activities

# Nordplus Horizontal - Who can apply?

All institutions, organisations and other actors working within education and lifelong learning, e.g.

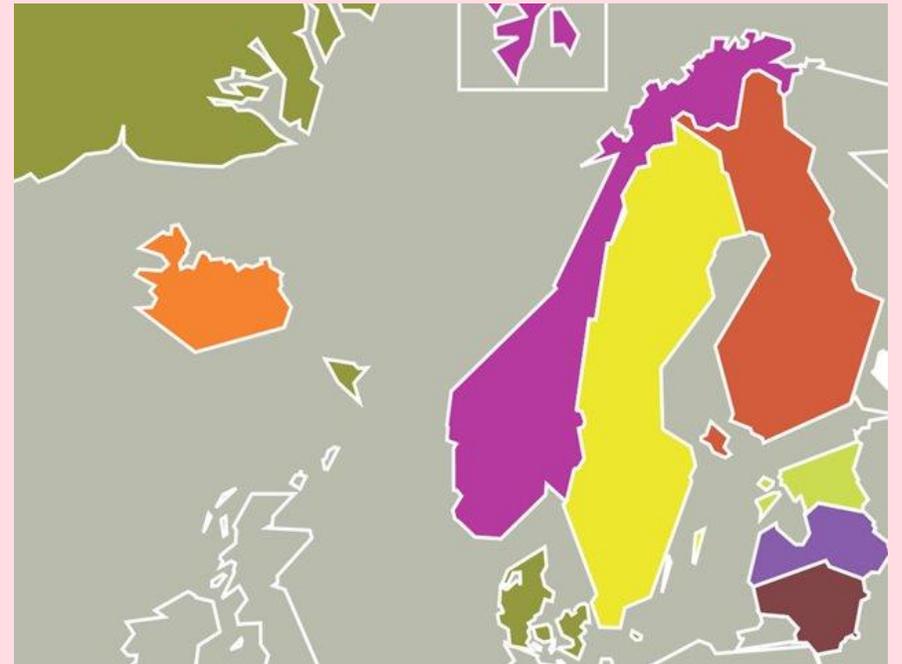
- universities, schools, kindergardens, public/private enterprises, NGOs, trade unions, adult learning, etc.

Criteria:

- minimum 2 sectors must participate in the project
- minimum 3 partners from 3 different Nordic/Baltic countries
- minimum 2 sectors represented in the project

Sectors:

- Higher education
- Primary/secondary/upper secondary Schools
- Preschools/Kindergarten
- Adult learning
- Public sector
- Private sector
- NGO



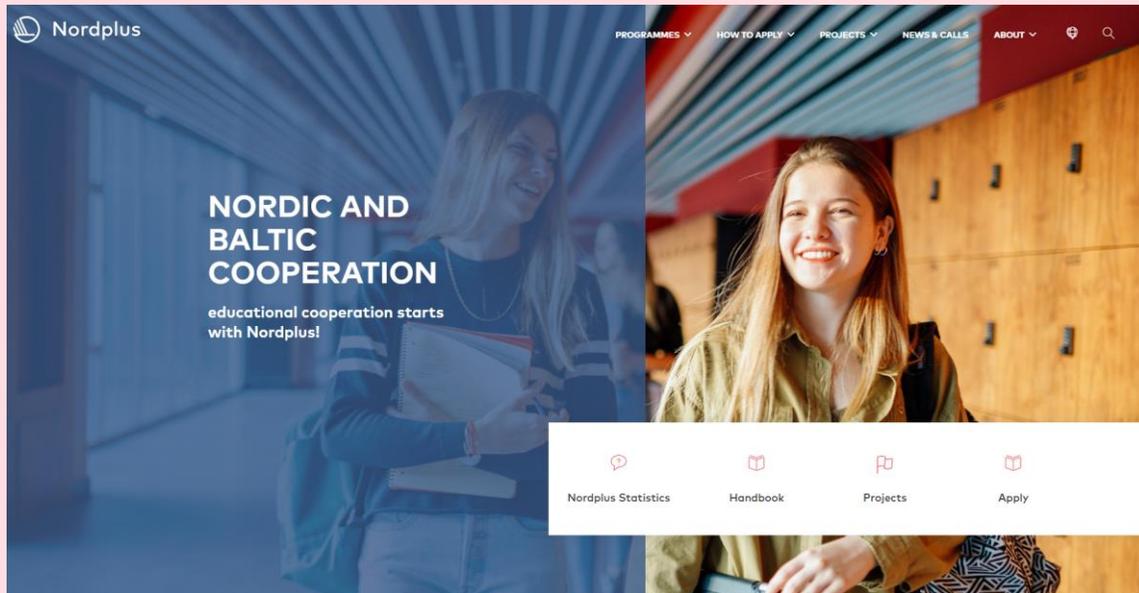
# Activities

What can you apply support for? Project and network activities (1-2 years)

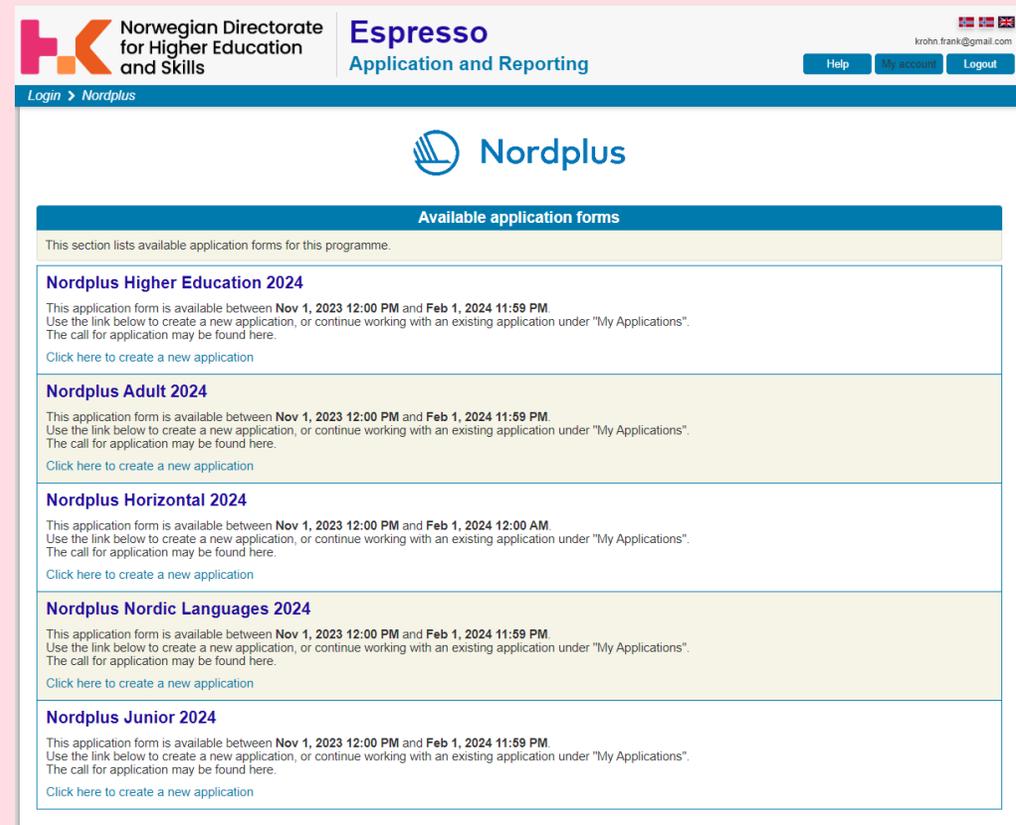
- Workshops, seminars and conferences
- Studies, analyses, statistics projects
- Projects aiming to exploit the results of educational research
- Establishment of courses using new learning and teaching platforms
- The production of materials for innovative language training, teaching and translation, or similar materials in other areas of expertise
- The publication, distribution and exchange of results and experiences in education
- Horizontal do not support individual student mobility

# The application

[www.nordplusonline.org](http://www.nordplusonline.org)



## Espresso application system



# The application

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Nordplus Horizontal - Application 2024  
NPHZ-2024/10001 - Test application - do not submit

1. Start   2. Institutions   3. Project description   4. Budget   5. Check list   6. Submission

**Basic information**

1.1. Project information

Give your project/application a title.

**Project title \***

**Project number**

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1.2. Project access

Here you can choose who should have access to the application. The person who should have access to the application needs to register/create an account in Espresso. Then you can choose this person from the list of registered users.

**Editor access**

Editor access means that the person you give access to can make changes in the application.

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**Read only access**

Read only access means that the person that you give access to can read everything in the application, but not make changes.

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# Funding:

## Project management

- ✓ Coordinator: 4 000 EUR
- ✓ Partners (up till 6): 2 000 EUR

## Travel and subsistence

- ✓ Fixed unit costs for travels within and between countries

## Project and network activities

- ✓ Real costs in relation to activities

## Extraordinary project activities

- ✓ Particularly research based or labour-intensive projects
- ✓ Special needs

# Funding – The budget

To be completed for each activity applied for in the Espresso application

## Nordic Languages/Horizontal budget form

Project number: \_\_\_\_\_ as indicated in section 1.1 or 1.2 in the application in this project/network  
 Number of active organisations:

## Budget summary of a project or network meetings

based on inserted data. Use these amounts in the Espresso application<sup>1</sup>

Project Management	01
Travel & subsistence:	01
Project or network activities	01
Extraordinary project support, if justified:	01
Maximum amount:	01

## Travel & subsistence

Travel no.	Purpose of travel and justification of domestic travel, if applicable <sup>2</sup>	From country	To country	Domestic travel? <sup>3</sup>	Number of participants	International travel & subsistence	and domestic travel in addition	Domestic travel & subsistence
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## Project or network activities

Activity No.	Please name the project or network activities applied for <sup>4</sup>	Please explain the activity that is being applied for	The Amount applied for I
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**HOW TO COMPLETE THE FORM**  
**Yellow fields are obligatory**

Please insert information and data in yellow cells. Other cells are locked.  
 Unit rates are on the sheet: Unit costs  
 The division into Project Management, Travel & subsistence, Project or networks activities and Extraordinary Project Support should be used in the Espresso application.  
<sup>1</sup> The used/applied amounts in Espresso should in most cases be identical, as instructed in Espresso and the handbook, but they may be lower if preferred by the applicant. In any case, the applied amounts in Espresso must not be higher than the calculated amount in the budget model.

**Project Management**  
 A fixed sum based on the number of active partners in the project that is being applied for. The project coordinator (the partner that is responsible for the application) receives 4000 € and each partner receives 2000 €. The maximum number of project partners that can receive funding is 7 partners, inclusive the project coordinator. This does not however exclude the possibility of having more partners in the project and each receiving less administrative support.

**Travel & subsistence**  
 Please insert information and data in each row, in light yellow cells. Other cells are locked.

<sup>2</sup> Purpose of travel: With reference to the activities described in detail in the Espresso application, e.g. date and location of meetings/visits. Full description should not be repeated here. There has to be a connection between the activities described in Espresso and the proposed travel in this budget. Costs for domestic travel will not be approved if not clearly justified by indicating between which cities/town/locations the travel is and the estimated distance. Use the Erasmus+ distance calculator [https://ec.europa.eu/programmes/erasmus-plus/resources/distance-calculator\\_en](https://ec.europa.eu/programmes/erasmus-plus/resources/distance-calculator_en)

<sup>3</sup> Please note there are three types of travelling participants, for which unit costs are calculated:  
 1. International travelers  
 2. International travelers that also need to travel domestically (more than 500 km round trip domestically in home and/or host country)  
 3. Domestic travelers, participants from partner institution(s) in the same country as the hosting institution that need subsistence and travel support.

Other participants can be indicated for information but no costs are calculated for their participation.

**Project or network activities**  
<sup>4</sup> Grant may cover rent of premises, support for dissemination, production, publication of materials, translation, catering, costs for website, external experts, guest lecturers, etc.

**Extraordinary project support, if justified:**

<sup>5</sup> This will be a new grant only for the exceptional cases. It is intended for a) extraordinary projects which are extensive, research-based and/or labor intensive, and b) inclusion support in connection with participants with special needs.

These projects may apply for extraordinary, organizational support beyond the fixed rates. If applying for such support, the need must be

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## Budget

### 4.1. Budget

Please use the Nordplus budget template. It can be downloaded under 4.2 Attachment.  
 When the budget template is filled out, the sums must be transferred to the table below. The budget must then be uploaded as an attachment to the application.

## Budget

Note that the support for Project and network activities should not include work hours, that should be applied for under Extraordinary Project Activities and motivated accordingly in the application.

Activity	EUR - Euro	Nordplus contribution
Project management		<input type="text" value="0"/>
Travel and subsistence		<input type="text" value="0"/>
Project and network activities		<input type="text" value="0"/>
Extraordinary project support, if justified*		<input type="text" value="0"/>
SUM - Activity		0
<b>Total</b>		0

### \*Justification of extraordinary project support

Important: If the application includes support for extraordinary, organizational support beyond the fixed rates for project management, the need must be explained and justified as this support is granted only for the exceptional cases. This support is intended for:

- a) extraordinary projects which are extensive, research-based and/or labor intensive
- b) special needs in connection with disabled participants
- c) other reasons

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# Project Examples

	Euro	
	Number of projects	Allocation
2008	21	890 854
2009	18	699 100
2010	20	908 400
2011	24	728 254
2012	21	831 934
2013	25	913 500
2014	32	1 222 333
2015	23	1 022 393
2016	20	1 016 793
2017	20	1 027 407
2018	17	864 000
2019	21	1 040 323
2020	19	977 713
2021	25	1 308 826
2022	20	1 072 733
2023	19	1 242 555
<b>Total</b>	<b>345</b>	<b>15 767 118</b>

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**A conference: Challenges in teaching Mathematics: Becoming special for all**  
 Programme: Nordplus Horizontal  
 Main partner(s): University of Iceland (IS, University)  
 Call: Nordplus Horizontal 2009  
 Project Status: Completed  
 Allocation: 13 900 EUR

**Agile Circular Competence Network (Acronym: Circagile)**  
 Programme: Nordplus Horizontal  
 Main partner(s): Arcada University of Applied Sciences (FI, University)  
 Call: Nordplus Horizontal 2021  
 Project Status: Active  
 Allocation: 73 000 EUR

**ALGAE FOR DESIGN-LED TRANSITION TOWARDS BLUE BIO-ECONOMY**  
 Programme: Nordplus Horizontal  
 Main partner(s): Estonian Academy of Arts (EKA) (EE, University)  
 Call: Nordplus Horizontal 2021  
 Project Status: Active  
 Allocation: 78 800 EUR

**Alternative Active Citizenship**  
 Programme: Nordplus Horizontal  
 Main partner(s): Jaunimo karjeros centras (LT, NGO)  
 Call: Nordplus Horizontal 2017  
 Project Status: Completed  
 Allocation: 61 000 EUR

**AQUATIC LIFE: Developing Tools for Water Competency Education and Drowning Prevention for Children**

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# Questions?